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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE TERRITORY OF GUAM**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JOEL LAYSON RAMA,

Defendant.

CRIMINAL CASE NO. **08-00027**

APPLICATION TO SEAL RECORD

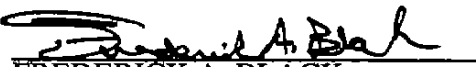
The United States moves this Honorable Court for an order sealing the record in the above-entitled case for the reason that further investigation is still pending in this matter, which may be hindered by making this cause available for public scrutiny.

The government also moves to file under seal this application to seal and order.

Respectfully submitted this 6th day of May 2008.

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